Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1.   (currently amended) A method for processing a query, comprising:

receiving a query, wherein the query includes at least an entered term or phrase;

determining, based at least in part on an analysis of the entered term or phrase, whether the query is a commercial query ~~or a non-commercial query~~;

processing the query in a first manner when the query is <u>not</u> determined to be a ~~non-commercial~~ commercial query<u>, where processing the query in a first manner includes ranking documents in a first manner</u>; and

processing the query in a second, different manner ~~when~~ <u>in response to determining that</u> the query is ~~determined to be~~ a commercial query<u>, where processing the query in a second manner includes ranking documents in a second, different manner</u>.

2.   (previously presented) The method of claim 1 wherein the determining includes:

determining whether the query is included in a list of commercial query patterns, and

identifying the query as a commercial query when the query is included in the list of commercial query patterns.

3.   (currently amended) The method of claim 2 wherein the determining further includes:

determining, when the query is not included in the list of commercial query patterns, whether the query relates to at least one commercial query pattern in the list of commercial query patterns,

identifying the query as a commercial query when the query relates to at least one commercial query pattern in the list of commercial query patterns, and

identifying the query as <u>not being</u> a ~~non-commercial~~ <u>commercial</u> query when the query is unrelated to the list of commercial query patterns.

4.   (previously presented) The method of claim 2 wherein the determining whether the query relates to at least one commercial query pattern in the list of commercial query patterns includes:

determining whether the query relates to at least one commercial query pattern based at least in part on at least one of a use of stemming, an identification of one or more synonyms, an identification of one or more related words, and an identification of a category or classification.

5.   (original) The method of claim 1 wherein the processing the query in a first manner includes:

retrieving one or more documents relating to the query, and

scoring the one or more documents based at least in part on a first set of criteria.

6.   (original) The method of claim 5 wherein the processing the query in a second, different manner includes:

retrieving the one or more documents relating to the query, and

scoring the one or more documents based at least in part on a second, different set of criteria.

7.   (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the determining includes:

determining whether the query is a commercial query ~~or a non-commercial query~~ based at least in part on one or more attributes of documents that match the query.

8.   (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the determining includes:

determining whether the query is a commercial query ~~or a non-commercial query~~ based at least in part on user-supplied data regarding the query or documents that match the query.

9.   (currently amended) A computer-implemented system for processing one or more queries, comprising:

means for receiving the one or more queries, wherein the one or more queries include at least an entered term or phrase;

means for identifying, based at least in part on an analysis of the entered term or phrase, for each query in the one or more queries, <u>whether</u> the query [[as]] <u>is</u> a commercial query ~~or a non-commercial query~~; and

means for processing each query in the one or more queries based at least in part on the identifying<u>, where means for processing each query in the one or more queries based at least in part on the identifying includes:</u>

<u>means for ranking documents in a first manner when the query is not identified as commercial; and</u>

<u>means for ranking documents in a second, different manner when the query is identified as commercial</u>.

10.   (currently amended) A server comprising:

a memory configured to store instructions; and

a processor configured to execute the instructions to:

receive a query, wherein the query includes at least an entered term or phrase,

identify, based at least in part on an analysis of the entered term or phrase, <u>whether</u> the query [[as]] <u>is</u> commercial ~~or non-commercial~~, and

process the query based at least in part on whether the query is identified as commercial ~~or non-commercial~~<u>;</u>

rank documents in a first manner when the query is not identified as

commercial; and

rank documents in a second, different manner when the query is identified

as commercial.

11.   (currently amended) A computer-readable storage medium containing

instructions for controlling at least one processor to perform a method for processing a

search query, wherein the search query includes at least an entered term or phrase, the

method comprising:

identifying, based at least in part on an analysis of the entered term or phrase,

whether the search query is a commercial query ~~or a non-commercial query~~; and

processing the search query based at least in part on whether the search query is a

commercial query, ~~or a non-commercial query~~ where processing the search query based

at least in part on whether the search query is a commercial query or a non-commercial

query includes:

ranking documents in a first manner when the search query is identified as

commercial; and

ranking documents in a second, different manner when the search query is

not identified as commercial.

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